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Married In Calgary, Birthday, Wedding Day Coincide

CROSSFIELD—A wedding of interest to Crossfield was solemnized on October 18 in The Little Chapel of the Central United Church, Calgary, when Beryl Lucene, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vern W. Thompson, Crossfield, repeated wedding vows, in a double ring ceremony, with Gerald Edgar, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wills, Vauxhall.

This chosen date was, incidentally, the birthday of the bride, who was given in marriage by her father. The Rev. Mr. Switzer performed the ceremony.

Suitable wedding music was supplied by the church organist as the bride entered the aisle, beautifully gowned in floor length brocaded satin gown, featuring lily-point sleeves, net yoke, a fitted bodice accentuated with shoulder drapes of satin, the folds of which were caught with pearls. The skirt was gracefully hooped, the front sides caught up in folds which revealed rows of lace. She wore a string of pearls and a finger-tip veil, held in place by a pearl-trimmed head-dress and carried a white prayer book which held a lovely orchid with dainty stephanotis streamers.

Attending the bride was her friend, Miss Mary Beddoes, who was prettily attired in a nylon net over taffeta shrimp colored formal. Her bandeau was feathered in harmonizing shades and she carried an arrangement of shrimp and white tinted carnations.

The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Roy Wills, and the guests were ushered by George Longley, friend, and Elden Stafford, cousin of the bride.

A reception at which forty guests were present was presided over by Mr. Roy Wills, Edmonton, and was held in Gene's Dine and Dance, Calgary.

The wedding principals were assisted in receiving their guests here by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Wills. Mrs. Thompson, the bride's mother, wore an afternoon gown of royal blue with black accessories and corsage of yellow roses, whilst the groom's mother chose a black nylon with harmonizing accessories and corsage of red roses.

The bride's table was in the form of a horseshoe and graced with a three-tiered pedestalled wedding cake. The inside of the horseshoe was graced with a basket of mauve and white mums.

Mr. Leonard Beddoes, friend of the family, proposed the toast to the bride, which was very suitably responded to by the groom.

For a honeymoon trip to Courde-lene and other U.S.A. points, the bride donned a turquoise knitted suit with brown accessories and orchid corsage. On their re-

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Mrs. Jean Stevens and Mrs. Bert Lilley attended the semi-annual meeting of the Southern Ladies' Curling Association, at which the Eaton Trophy event was an interesting topic of discussion. Congratulations from Crossfielders are extended to Beryl and Gerald Wills, whose marriage was solemnized on Saturday last.

Friends of Lawrence Lilley will be glad to note that his first course in the RCMP at Rockcliffe has been completed and that his squad is now stationed in Regina for the second part training. Lawrence writes the western air feels so good again.

The Rev. W. E. G. Dovey officiated at the christening of Barbara Lynne, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Charney, on Sunday, October 26, in United church.

Mrs. Bob Hanson, friend of the Frank Laut family, has returned from Edmonton, where she spent a few days cheering up her friend of many years, Virgie Laut, polio patient in University Hospital.

Fancy Fillis is improving in Turner Valley after sustaining an accident whilst practicing his Shetland ponies in their chariot. The ponies apparently cut corners too sharply and he was thrown on his head and shoulders.

Mr. and Mrs. Lea Ableman have moved back to their city home, after helping with the harvesting on their farm, which is operated now by Mr. and Mrs. Doug Robinson, the latter being a daughter of the Ablemans.

Mrs. Tommie Bland and daughter Lorna have been for the past weeks visiting at the home of her brother in Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Louis V. Bliss has just returned after having spent a very enjoyable holiday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Law and family at Hussar.

A number of the Inverlea 500 party journeyed to the Cozart farm at Airdrie on Saturday last, where they enjoyed a friendly game of cards.

Mrs. J. Fairbairn returned to her home last week in Madden after having been treated for an infection in the Holy Cross Hospital.

Mr. Joe Boke left for the east, from where he intends to bring home a new car.

turn the happy couple will reside in Calgary.

The out-of-town guests present for the ceremony were: Mr. and Mrs. Wills, Vauxhall; Mrs. Martin and Terry of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wills, Edmonton.

Of interest at the reception was a telegram received from Mrs. Martin's husband, who is in the east. It contained special congratulations to the happy couple.

FAT BOY DIET

Home Style Reducing Diets Don't Work

By ELMER WHEELER

"HOLD ON to your hats, boys—here we go again!"

That's what I should have said to myself. There I was, all ready to start dieting again, just like I done three times a year ever since I first noticed that I couldn't stand up straight and still see my feet.

Dieting again, just as I'd done dozens of times before. I was an old hand at it now. I knew all the angles.

I dug out my old diet books. Brushed up on my calorie charts. Put a digest of what to eat and what not to eat in my vest pocket and I was on my merry way.

I NEVER BOTHERED with seeing a doctor or a diet expert. I already had all the answers, so why spend money to have someone else repeat them to me?

No need to see a doctor, I told myself. All I had to do was cut out sugars and starches, as the books say, and do push-ups.

Best exercise in the world, pushing yourself up from the table.

All I was eating was one real meal a day now. How could anyone get fat on just one meal a day?

Why, I was eating like a bird. Couldn't help but lose weight. It was plain and simple logic.

I cut all salt out of my diet. My breakfast now was merely a double orange juice (a fellow's system needs fruit, of course), three slices of rye bread (nothing fattening if it isn't white, I figured), some peanut butter, jam and black coffee. No cream or sugar.

Still the typical dieting fatty, who makes a profession of it, I didn't eat a single thing for lunch. Well, that is, nothing heavy.

Just a large bowl of split pea or cream of chicken. A handful of crackers.

Then a sandwich. Nothing heavy about that, certainly. A glass of milk—it's all liquid, isn't it? No pies. Not me.

Somehow I managed to get through the days. Each night I would rush home, fall weakly on the divan, and wait for dinner.

Bother, how I ate! But why not? One meal a day couldn't hurt a fellow, could it?

My diet spree was in full swing now.

I kept right on pounding away at the pounds. Give 'em no quarter, was Elmer's motto.

Never let up. One meal a day, no heavy meals till night. No sugars, no starches.

Years ago I had learned you should never weigh yourself every day, because if you found you hadn't lost five more pounds every time you stepped on the scales you felt disappointed.

So I waited to weigh myself at the end of three full weeks, when the results would really show.

It isn't until you're down 10 or 15, maybe 20 pounds, that you really begin to feel you're accom-

Residents To Vote For Or Against Waterworks, November 7

WATER A VITAL ISSUE

CROSSFIELD—It is hoped that every ratepayer in the village has carefully scrutinized the synopsis of the proposed by-law (either in the Chronicle or by special cover) of the Village of Crossfield, which purpose is to authorize the Council to incur an indebtedness on behalf of the village for the purpose of providing a water supply and distribution system.

This has all been methodically set up and has been a lot of work. Every item has been carefully covered and the council would answer any doubtful questions. It is a self-liquidating plan approved by the Provincial Government, which is willing to loan \$109,000 at a 2 per cent rate of interest per annum.

The vote of the proprietary electors will be held November 7 in the village office from 10 a.m. till 7 p.m., and results will follow a count by the ballots at 7 p.m. by the returning officer. Everyone is urged to vote on this issue, remembering that should the vote be favorable, the town will have a good supply as well as clean water for their families. Residents should consider the cleanliness and the extreme pleasure of water on tap; how it will effect those who wish to quit farming and make a home in town, instead of looking to the city for the facilities that they have coming to them at retirement. The biggest and best problem is overcome when one realizes that the town is in the very fortunate position financially, to have had the government expert's seal of approval on the town's financial standing, and these experts, after careful study, believe that it will incur no hardship on ratepayers as the rate of interest is very low with 40 semi-annual amortized instalments.

Crossfield is indeed privileged to have the Alberta Government behind it, as many towns are not so fortunate and it may take years to bring this issue to the people again.

Residents should carefully consider the sewage system, remembering that with water on tap, disposal is very necessary and the

plishing something.

The three weeks were up. Elmer's hour of triumph was at hand. So was the whole family. They all gathered around for the Important Announcement, the Special Bulletin from the Front. I stripped to my drawers. Stood on the scales. Held my breath. Smiled smartly at the little gathering around me.

Then I gasped. My family gasped. The scales gasped.

Something must be wrong, I figured.

I was four pounds heavier than when I started my "dieting" three weeks ago!

No sugars—no starches—black coffee—one meal a day, and I'd gained instead of lost weight!

(Elmer's in trouble. You can benefit from his experience by following his proven diet. Send now for the free Calorie Chart and see next week's paper so YOU too can start the Fat Boy's Diet.)

(To Be Continued.)

two systems work in conjunction. Of what avail is a good water supply with backyards full of septic tanks or cess pools, which would ultimately pollute the good for which the town is striving. The opportunity is here and Crossfielders should ever look forward for the good of humanity.

If the ratepayers wish another meeting prior to the voting on November 7, the council will arrange for same providing the demand is proportionate.

Minister Aids In Placing New Canadians

CROSSFIELD—The Rev. G. Vander Wolde, who works with the immigration office on behalf of Holland immigrants, places girls in homes where help is needed. Anyone interested in securing spring help should contact Mr. Wolde who lives in Cochrane. Good homes are found for the girls and the minister visits them from time to time giving any help he can to the employer or employee.

Arrangements for spring help are made during the fall and winter months.

Coffee Bar For Men On Nov. 1

CROSSFIELD—Men! It's piping hot coffee you want and fresh pie be sure to patronize the "Coffee Bar" in the Community hall when the ladies of the United Church will serve you at a special section for the men. You can come in your work clothes, sit and talk the good harvest over, or discuss the hockey season or the big league football games. Come around between 3-5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 1.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Zeller and family wish to express their sincere thanks to all their friends and neighbors for their messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received during their recent bereavement. Special thanks are extended to the Rev. Knauck, Alfreda Hetman, organist and Mr. and Mrs. R. Jespersen, soloists.

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EDITORIALS

The Winner Gets a Headache

Whether General D. Eisenhower or Gov. Adlai Stevenson wins the general election, the victor is letting himself in for a big headache. Immediately facing him will be the end of the war boom, which will threaten to throw the economy into a recession.

In addition to that, the victor will be saddled with a \$263,000,000,000 debt and a tax rate which must be lowered if the voter is to be satisfied. Thus, defense spending will have to be cut, since the needed economies cannot be effected in the relatively small amount of non-defense spending included in the annual budget.

If General Eisenhower wins, it will be a new experience for the Republicans. They have not known anything like the present situation, which will face the inhabitant of the White House. The last Republican President, Herbert Hoover, had a government civilian payroll of 600,000, a military force of 240,000, a 4.7 billion dollar budget and a government debt of 19.5 billion. If the next President is a Republican, he will have to manage a government civilian pay roll of 2.5 million, an armed services strength of 3.5 million, an annual budget of 85.4 billion, and a government debt of 263 billion dollars.

The job of being President of the United States has become such a stupendous undertaking that political scientists are beginning to question whether one person can do an effective job in that post. As President Truman knows, two terms in the White House is enough to wear out any man and more than two is likely to kill most of them. Thus, the office is America's highest honor, though the job is one of the most strenuous in the world today.

Farming a Dangerous Occupation

There seems little doubt that farming is one of our most dangerous occupations and that greater care must be given to the matter of farm safety.

The National Safety Council in the United States has classified farming as the third most hazardous profession, behind coal mining and railroading. The American Medical Association, however, places agriculture ahead of the others largely because it has no organized safety program.

Graham Anderson, director of rural safety for the Alberta Safety Council, points out that in Alberta alone up to September there were 20 tractor accidents resulting in death and many others causing serious and disabling injuries. He says that if farm safety is to become a reality in Alberta then each farmer must work out his own safety program and become his own safety committee. Every farmer should do his part in reducing the frightening number of farm accidents in the province.

Record Churchill Shipments Likely

A record volume of around 9,000,000 bushels of grain will likely be shipped from the port of Churchill this year, according to R. K. Smith, chairman of the national harbors board. In times of emergency Churchill could handle 12,000,000 bushels, he said. A total of 28 ships will take grain from that port this year. The Dominion government-owned terminal here has a capacity of 2,500,000 bushels.

Note and Comment

Tell the average man there are 270,568,935 stars in the universe and he will believe you. Put up a sign saying 'Fresh Paint' — and he will have to conduct an investigation.

A prominent confectionery sign over a restaurant in Ranfurly, Alta., spelled "ary" instead of "ery".

Russia—Bombs Or No Bombs

New York engineer Carlton S. Proctor recently declared, in Chicago, that, in his opinion, "every one of the atomic explosions in Russia was just a premature explosion, in an effort to produce a bomb." Proctor is President of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

In 1930, Proctor worked on Russia's second largest dam, east of Leningrad. In World War II he was an Army engineer who helped build the Persian Corridor road, over which supplies to Russia were hauled. "The Russians have no confidence in their own engineers and I have never met a Russian engineer who was a Communist, who was any good," Proctor said.

If the engineer's views are right, the United States may breathe a bit easier. If they are wrong, and contribute to a feeling of security which is unfounded, the cost to the country might be considerable.

Let's Not Handicap the "Handicapped"

(From the C.I.L. Oval)

There is in this country a group of people referred to by employment officers as "handicapped employables." We can probably think of some who live in our communities. Perhaps we know a few.

By and large, they are fellow-Canadians who have certain physical, mental or social handicaps which limit them in terms of the types of work they can do. But many of them have valuable job skills. Others may have no particular skills, but certainly have the capacity to develop them.

The individual types of handicaps range into the hundreds, and include many readily recognizable, such as physical deformity, disfigurement, blindness, deafness, amputations, age and a wide variety of non-infectious diseases.

But, in addition to their individual handicaps, these people suffer in common from one other handicap. This one is by far the most serious, the most formidable, and the most discouraging of all.

It is the attitude of many employers—or could-be employers—toward them.

Many employers, probably without realizing the consequences, automatically demand a high physical capacity of all the people they engage, whether the job requires high physical capacity or not.

The Canadian Chamber of Commerce drew attention to this problem at its last annual meeting when it noted that: "Available evidence demonstrates that those employers who have had experience with physically handicapped workers have found that their performance when suitably placed compares favorably with that of the able-bodied in similar work. The Canadian Chamber of Commerce believes their employment to the greatest extent possible is socially and economically desirable."

Employers who do not weigh these factors are virtually robbing themselves—and society—of a good source of workers whose productivity and loyalty have been repeatedly and conclusively demonstrated. At the same time, they are needlessly withholding from a sizable group of Canadians the opportunity to achieve a fair measure of social and financial independence.

For example, a person with one arm would be fully efficient doing work that requires the use of only one arm; a person with the use of only one foot, or no feet at all, would be fully efficient doing a sedentary job; a person with a disfigurement would be fully efficient if his fellow workers treated him just like any other human being.

The "handicapped employables," ask only for a chance to show their worth. They ask only that they be judged for employment on the basis of what they can do, not on the basis of what they cannot do.

The Bible Today

Nothing can be put to God's word nor anything taken from it.—Ecclesiastes 3: 14.

NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH by Russ Arnold



Voice of the People

THANKSGIVING

Sunday, October 12, was "Thanksgiving" Sunday. Were you at your church to give "Thanks unto the Lord"? We, at the United Church had a beautiful service, the church was appropriately decorated, the minister left you with a thought for thanks and God, and the choir gave special songs of thanks and praise.

Personally, I get much spiritual help and food for thought from our services. The same is there for you if you want it, and don't say you don't need it, we all do. True, going to church alone, won't get you to heaven, but where else are you going to hear the word of God. You need the Church and the Church needs you.

We, this year especially, have so much to be thankful for, and one way of showing our thanks is by attending your church regularly.

Morrin, Alta.

PHEW.

A publisher named Mr. Pue Editorials writes on "who's who?" The Queen's poor young consort he blames 'Cause he can't kick the ball in our games. You are so naive Whom do you deceive? Please stop calling Royalty names. 'Tis sad to perceive, is it not, A man not content with his lot? Well! here's what we'll do, We'll dub you Lord Pooh! 'Cause you pooh pooh most things, do you not?

Mannville.

GOOD ATTENDANCE

Thank you for your courtesy and interest in putting in the news item I sent you last month regarding the Strathcona Home and School Association. We appreciate your interest and believe our good attendance was largely due to the prominence you gave our announcement.

FLORENCE SCOFFIELD.

(Mrs. J.)

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UNION PAINT BRUSH

I would assume yours is not a very ardent union paper.

You gave advice for house painting. It was not new to me that a wide brush is both more rapid and makes a better job. I had my house painted, as I am getting beyond the age to be climbing on ladders. I only painted the garage. The two dollar an hour man informed me that there was a limit to the width (I believe 3 1/4 inches) the union would allow their members to use. So you see you will make people who have to hire their houses painted feel badly.

I might say, at the rate I paid, I made big wages with a large brush.

DISAPPOINTED GUY.

Edmonton.

JUSTIFIES DUKE

Did anyone hear the Duke of Edinburgh flatly refuse to "kick-off" at last Fall's football game? Knowing the normal naval and sporting activities engaged in by the Queen's husband, I suspect he would much rather have "kicked off" than be hedged in by formalities surrounding Royalty. It ill begets anyone to level such unfair criticism against one unable to defend himself.

"Nose-snubbing" royalty — indeed! Such insults come from a decadent intelligence. A gracious apology on your part would be in order.

Do not forget, sir, as an editor you have it in your power to mold and guide the minds of many. Especially do I refer to those many who have lately left, are leaving and will continue to leave lands that have been torn by war-tumult, and all the isms and schisms that man and devil ever invented. They come to our great country hopeful and trusting that under our free, democratic and just institutions they will obtain that peace, goodwill, justice and opportunity denied them in their own lands and become loyal and good citizens. Do not let them or any others be inoculated with such nonsense as "A Striking Contrast."

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Executive—Fine! Ever do any discus throwing? We tried a pole vaulter, a broad jumper and a star halfback in our auditing department, but they didn't make good.

The Bride's Dilemma
Jim Justwed (viewing dining table—Why have you got all these cruets on—one, two, three—six of 'em?
Fifie—Aunt Matilda is coming to dinner and I can't remember which one was her wedding present.

Mental Footwork
"Does your husband get much of a kick out of his vacation?"
"Indeed he does. It gives him a lot more leisure to grumble."

Misconstrued
After much pleading Hayes had managed to "touch" his friend for a loan.
When it was safely in his possession he said:
"You are very kind to lend me this money. I feel that I can never repay you."
His friend stared hard at him.
"Why the dickens didn't you say that at first?" he exclaimed.

**What's in the Name
ENCHANT**
We haven't too much information on Enchant, which is located some 50 miles N.E. of Lethbridge. We could not find its name origin but we do know that previous to 1915 it was known as Lost Lake P.O.

ACME
The name "Acme" comes from the Greek word meaning "summit." The town was named so when it was on the most northerly point on the CPR branch. Prior to December, 1909, the place was called Tapscott P.O.
Acme is situated some 60 miles N.E. of Calgary, with farming being the main type of occupation carried on within the region. The town's population in 1946 was 282.

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A Scotchman in planning a new house left the roof off one room.
A friend asked the reason for this. "Oh, that's the shower," replied the Scot.

But Uses the Kitchen Matches
Lady (to prospective cook)—Are you economical?
Cook—Oh yes, ma'am, I always rolls me own cigarettes.



SEEDTIME and HARVEST
By Dr. F. J. Greaney, Director, Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

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Why Test Seed? Today, it is more important than ever for farmers to know just exactly what kind of seed they are planting. To many the "kind" of seed means "variety." But there are many other factors besides variety which affect the kind or quality of seed a farmer sows. These factors include the germination, freedom from smut, and the weed seed content.

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My small brother and I were looking over some postcards. One showed the "Three Sisters" mountains. I said to my brother: "These mountains are called 'Three Sisters'." The next postcard showed two elk. Looking at it, my brother said: "These must be two brothers".
BILLIE ZUK.

Mundare.

Last summer my chum took her little boy to visit cousins at Westlock. One of the cousins, a girl, took him out to gather eggs. After looking in several places, she said, "Let's look in the horse barn." The little boy went and said nothing. On arriving back in the city my chum asked him if he'd had a good time and did he like going with the girl to gather eggs? He looked at his mother and said, "Yes, but wouldn't you think a big girl like her would know horses don't lay eggs?"
MRS. W. FORSYTH.
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Donald Laut and Wayne Price left Friday for a motor trip to California, where they hope to do a bit of sightseeing and spend a nice holiday after the fall work.

Berenice Aldred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Aldred, and Robert Aldred, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aldred, have both left for Agricultural School in Olds, Berenice to take up Household Economics and Robert to continue his second year course for boys.

Men! Don't forget that Coffee Bar on Saturday, November 1st, at Community Hall, where you will get delicious pie and coffee. Plan to bring a friend. The Ladies' Aid look for your patronage.

Mrs. Virgie Laut is steadily improving at the University Hospital in Edmonton after having been sent there for polio treatment. On Sunday last she was moved to the lounge room, where she was allowed a visit from her husband and family from Crossfield. Her daughter, Barbara, attends University in Edmonton, so is able to see her mother more often than the rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bills and family, together with the latter's mother, recently visited Mrs. Edlund's brother in Carmangay.

BAKE SALE—Be sure to patronize the Home and School Bake Sale to be held in W. Laut's store on Saturday, November 8, at 3 p.m. The organization executive are looking forward to donations from members and would appreciate baking from any who feel like helping a good cause. W. McCrimmon, Justice members living in Calgary, were in attendance to enjoy a reunion with their sisters of the three links.

On Monday, October 2, at 8 p.m., Mrs. Grace Budgeon, DDP, presided over a district meeting of No. 10 Rebekahs, which includes Helping Hand No. 74, Bowden and Justice 62. There were three carloads present from Bowden and around thirty-five altogether for the occasion, which included a visitation from the vice-president of the Rebekah Assembly of Alberta, Mrs. Pearl

Funeral Services Conducted For Mrs. C. Bechtold

LEVEL LAND—The funeral of the late Mrs. Chris Bechtold took place at the SDA church of this

Heuman, whose pleasing personality and interesting message was an inspiration to the district members.

Mrs. Margaret Wigle and Mrs. Harry May, secretary-treasurer of the village council, will attend a convention of the Union of Alberta Municipalities on November 30-31. He is on the executive and resolutions committees.

Don't forget to come to the Ladies' Aid Bazaar on November 1st at 3 p.m. in the Community Hall.

Mr. Bill Brooks suffered a very severe accident and is in critical condition in a Calgary hospital. Having returned from a holiday to his occupation as carpenter, he fell from a scaffold sustaining what the doctors think is a puncture to the brain. Definite knowledge is not yet available. His wife was the former Audrey Brown of Crossfield.

district October 26 at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Bechtold, known as Sarah Werener, was born in Meno, S.D. She, with her family, had lived in this district as well as in Cluny and Calgary.

She passed away at her home in Kelowna on October 20, reaching an age of 64. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband Chris; three daughters, Mrs. Stanley Jones, Mrs. Don Agate, both of Calgary, Miss Dephia Bechtold of Oshawa, Ont.; three sons, Delmare of Falkland, B.C., Don and Marvin of Calgary; eight grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. John Wheatly of Glasgow, Montana, Mrs. Ed Kendopp and Mrs. Robert Reiswig, both of Calgary, Mrs. Ben Koehn of Woodland, Calif., Mrs. Ed Becker of Placerville, Calif.; and three brothers, John Werener of McClusky, N.D., and Abraham and Adam of California.

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go on the main street for some
groceries and did not bother to
change to a dress. My husband
was very put out when somebody



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kins of Minburn with her pet
female coyote "Yip". "Yip" is as
tame as any dog and the "baby"
of the Atkins household. She was
kept caged in an empty fox pen
during the hunting season!

Drop That Rose!

The rose garden stretched, un-
fenced, to the sidewalk, and it's
owner was much annoyed with a
neighbor who made a practice of
picking the best blossoms. Finally,
the owner's son, who works in a
radio station, undertook Operation
Rose Protection.

One day Neighbor, stooping to
cut a rose, recoiled from a slight
electric shock as she touched the
stem, then stood dumbfounded
when the rose—aided by a small
loudspeaker hidden in the flower-
bed—hissed in a low tense voice:
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told him I was down town in
shorts. Don't you think this is
very foolish of him as nearly
everyone dresses as they please
nowadays?

B. R.

Answer:

I am afraid I will have to agree
with your husband in this matter.
While young women go about in
shorts at the beaches and at
home, it is poor taste to shop in
such apparel.

While I think that people, on
the whole, are much more sensi-
ble in the way they dress now
than they were years ago, some of
them are inclined to go too far
and the result is shocking to con-
servative people.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa:

I am from the South but I have
been invited to spend a week with
a girl friend of mine who is work-
ing in New York. I plan to go up
in October and she will take a
week off from work while I am
there.

I want to go to some of the
plays, Radio City, etc. I haven't
a lot of money to spend on clothes
but I do want one nice outfit. I
have a nice coat. What do you
think will be my best buy?

LOUISE R.

Answer:

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dressed up or down according to
your blouse and accessories will
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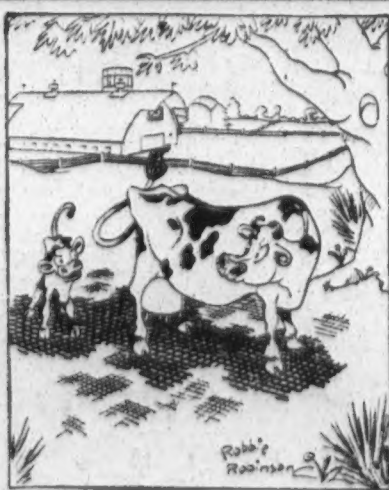
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The high loss is calculated on the number of calves born prematurely in infected herds, the lowered milk production for that lactation period in dairy herds, lowered value of infected animals and other effects of the disease. An example of the loss is as follows: A cattleman in Alberta in the Spring of 1952 had 32 cows give birth to their calves prematurely due to Bang's disease. All were dead. They were worth money, of course, but if they had lived they would have been worth a lot more in two years for finished beef. In two years at \$300 apiece, they would have meant \$9,600 extra gross income to that owner. Now, due to Bang's disease, he is going to be short that income. That's a lot of money to lose. That loss could have been prevented very easily if that cattleman had started four or five years ago to build up a Bang's resistant herd through calfhood vaccination. Give this serious thought. Losses due to Bang's disease can be prevented. If you have a clean herd now, protect your income and also the health of your family by building up a Bang's resistant herd. Don't wait until you have the disease in your herd or in your neighbor's herd across the fence.

Start now—delay may be costly. Make arrangements with your veterinarian to get your heifer calves vaccinated every year. Or list them with your District Agriculturist or Agriculture Service Board. A bulletin on Bang's disease is available from your District Agriculturist.

The Alberta Department of Agriculture recommends calfhood vaccination coupled with good herd management as an economical and practical way to prevent and control the disease. The co-operation of all cattlemen will be greatly appreciated in building up Bang's resistant herds by having all heifer calves vaccinated this Fall.

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1. Repair leaky roofs, windows and doors to exclude rain or snow. If the floor is concrete, cover it with moisture-proof paper.
 2. Clean walls and floors well and sprinkle a small amount of hydrated lime over the floor and sweep it around to fill the cracks.
 3. If insects or mites were present last year, coat the inside walls with whitewash containing one quarter of a pound of lye per gallon.
 4. Fill the granary to the plate, only. Ample space between the grain surface and the roof must be provided for ventilation.
 5. Open bins or piles are risky. If available, well drained ground or even a thickness of two or three feet of straw should be used. Piles should be uniform cones.
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Village of Crossfield

PUBLIC NOTICE

Synopsis of proposed By-law No. 157 of the Village of Crossfield, being a By-law to authorize the Village Council to incur an indebtedness on behalf of the said Village for the purpose of providing a water supply and distribution system for the said Village.

The recitals of the said By-law state:

(1) That according to plans, specifications and estimates made by Haddin, Davis and Brown, Consulting Engineers, the total cost will be \$73,100.00. (2) That it will be necessary to borrow on the credit of the Village from the Province of Alberta the sum of \$73,100.00 under the provisions of the Self Liquidating Projects Act by the issue of debentures in that amount repayable with interest at 2% per annum in 40 equal semi-annual amortized instalments of \$2,226.30 combined principal and interest. (3) That the whole rateable property of the Village according to the last revised assessment roll is \$423,812.00 and the existing debenture debt is NIL. (4) That the estimated revenue from water rates will be \$5,210.00 and an estimated amount of \$1,900.00 will be collected by way of special frontage assessment to meet the annual debenture payments and the estimated cost of operation and maintenance of \$6,844.00 annually. (5) A schedule is attached to the By-law and published herewith as Schedule "A" showing the total cost, assessable frontage in feet, rate per foot and amount of annual special frontage assessment. (6) That construction of the proposed water supply and distribution system has been approved by the Provincial Board of Health under Certificate No. 853.

The By-law itself authorizes and empowers the Council of the Village to borrow on the credit of the Village from the Provincial Treasurer the sum of \$73,100.00 at 2% annual interest repayable by the issue of debentures as aforesaid; to enter into contracts and engagements for the construction and carrying out the proposed water supply and distribution system; authorizes the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer to execute under the corporate seal of the Village documents of security required by the Provincial Treasurer including the debentures; authorizes the raising annually by a rate sufficient therefor on all the rateable property of the Village, any amount necessary to pay the general benefit portion of the debentures after crediting the net revenue derived from the operation of the system; imposes a special assessment to pay the owner's portion of the cost on all lands fronting or abutting on that portion of the streets or places whereon the said water supply and distribution system is to be laid or benefitting therefrom, and at the unit rate per foot as shown on said Schedule "A", which special assessment shall be in addition to all other rates and taxes.

The By-law provides that the indebtedness incurred is contracted on the credit and security of the Village at large, but as to so much thereof as is not paid by the Village at large, the Village is to collect the same only by way of special assessment as aforesaid.

VILLAGE OF CROSSFIELD

Schedule "A" to (Water) By-Law No. 157

Item No.	On	From	To	Size of Main	Length in Feet	Estimated Cost
1.	Reservoir, Housing Pumps, Pressure Tank					\$15,000.00
2.	Two Wells, Pump House and Pumps					9,228.00
3.	Munson St.	Nanton St.	Limit Ave.	6"	1,100	4,851.00
4.	Limit Ave.	Munson St.	Railway St.	6"	1,203	5,303.00
5.	Railway St.	Limit Ave.	Smith St.	6"	1,770	7,547.00
6.	Nanton St.	Railway St.	Munson St.	6"	1,100	4,638.00
7.	Smith St.	Railway St.	Ross St.	4"	500	1,961.00
8.	Hammond St.	Railway St.	Munson St.	4"	1,100	3,577.00
9.	Osler St.	Railway St.	Munson St.	4"	1,100	3,577.00
10.	Strathcona S.	Limit Ave.	Mountain Av.	4"	535	1,742.00
11.	Alberta St.	Limit Ave.	Mountain Av.	4"	535	1,742.00
12.	Mountain Av.	Strathcona St.	Alberta St.	4"		2,098.00
13.	Services from Mains to Property Line					6,072.00
14.	Fire Hydrants					3,312.00
15.	Total for Waterworks					\$70,648.00
16.	Debt Charges during Construction					2,452.00
17.	Total Cost of Waterworks including Debt Charges					\$73,100.00
18.	To General Benefit					
	(Water Rates)	\$42,000.00	Interest & Repayment			\$2,558.00
	Local Improvement					
	(Frontage)	31,100.00	Interest & Repayment			1,902.00
		\$73,100.00				\$4,460.00

19. Assessable Frontage—9,500 feet.
20. Frontage Assessment—20 cents per foot.
21. Residence Cost on 50-ft. Lot, Water Rates \$4.50 (Min.); Frontage, 83c Monthly.

Synopsis of proposed By-law No. 161 of the Village of Crossfield to authorize the Village Council to incur an indebtedness on behalf of the said Village for the purpose of providing a sewerage system for the said Village.

The recitals of the said By-law state:

- (1) That according to plans, specifications and estimates made by Haddin, Davis & Brown, Consulting Engineers, the total cost will be \$36,200.00.
(2) That it will be necessary to borrow on the credit of the Village from the Province of Alberta the sum of \$36,200.00 under the provisions of the Self Liquidating Projects Act by the issue of debentures in that amount repayable with interest at 2% per annum in 40 equal consecutive semi-annual amortized instalments of \$1,096.40 combined principal and interest.
(3) That the whole rateable property of the Village according to the last revised assessment roll is \$423,812.00 and the existing debenture debt is NIL.

- (4) That the estimated revenue from sewer rates will be \$2,520.00 and an estimated amount of \$950.00 will be collected by way of special frontage assessment to meet the annual debenture payments and the estimated cost of operation and maintenance of \$2,905.00 annually.

- (5) A schedule is attached to the By-law and published herewith as Schedule "B" showing total cost, assessable frontage in feet, rate per foot and annual frontage assessment.

- (6) That construction of the proposed sewerage system has been approved by the Provincial Board of Health under Certificate No. 854.

The By-law itself authorizes and empowers the Council of the Village to borrow on the credit of the Village from the Provincial Treasurer the sum of \$36,200.00 at 2% annual interest repayable by the issue of debentures as aforesaid; to enter into contracts and engagements for construction and carrying out the proposed sewerage system; authorizes the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer to execute under the corporate seal of the Village documents of security required by the Provincial Treasurer including debentures; authorizes the raising annually by a rate sufficient therefor on all the rateable property of the Village, any amount necessary to pay the general benefit portion of the debentures after crediting the net revenue derived from the operation of the system; imposes a special assessment to pay the owner's portion of the cost on all lands fronting or abutting on that portion of the streets or places whereon the said sewerage system is to be laid or benefitting therefrom, and at the unit rate per foot as shown on the said Schedule "B", which special assessment shall be in addition to all other rates and taxes.

The By-law provides that the indebtedness incurred is contracted on the credit and security of the Village at large, but as to so much thereof as is not paid by the Village at large, the Village is to collect the same only by way of the special assessment as aforesaid.

VILLAGE OF CROSSFIELD

Schedule "B" To (Sewer) By-Law No. 161

Item No.	On	From	To	Size of Main	Length in Feet	Estimated Cost
1.	Sewage Treatment Plant and Effluent Ditch					\$ 7,944.00
2.	Outfall Sewer Treatment Plt.	Smith St.		12"	565	2,658.00
3.	Railway Ave.	Hammond St.	Limit Ave.	10"	1,120	3,289.00
4.	Railway Ave.	Smith St.	Ham'd St.	10"	650	1,934.00
5.	Limit Ave.	Railway St.	Sask. St.	8"	960	2,650.00
6.	Smith St.	Railway St.	Ross St.	8"	560	1,390.00
7.	Nanton St.	Railway St.	Munson St.	8"	1,100	2,715.00
8.	Hammond S.	Railway St.	300' W. of Munson St.	8"	1,350	3,720.00
9.	Osler St.	Railway St.	Munson St.	8"	1,100	3,208.00
10.	Alberta St.	Limit Ave.	Mountain Av.	8"	560	1,373.00
11.	Sask. St.	Limit Ave.	Mountain Av.	8"	560	1,390.00
12.	Services from Mains to Property Line					2,829.00
13.	Total for Sewerage					\$35,100.00
14.	Debt Charges during Construction					1,100.00
15.	Total Estimated cost of Sewerage and Debt Charges					\$36,200.00
16.	To General Benefit					
	(Sewer Rates)	\$20,700	Interest & Repayment			\$1,257.00
	Local Improvement					
	(Frontage)	15,500	Interest & Repayment			948.00
		\$36,200				\$2,205.00
17.	Assessable Frontage—9,300 feet.					
18.	Frontage Assessment—10 cents per foot.					
19.	Residence Cost on 50-ft. Lot, Sewer Rates (Min.), \$2.00; Frontage, 42c Monthly.					

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true synopsis of each of two proposed By-laws and exact copies of schedules referred to in each which have been introduced and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Village of Crossfield within four weeks from the assent of the proprietary electors thereto. The vote of the proprietary electors on each of the said By-laws will be taken separately at the Village Office in Crossfield on Friday, November 7th, 1952, and the polls will be open for that purpose between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 7 o'clock in the afternoon.

DATED at Crossfield, Alberta, this 15th day of October, 1952.

—HARRY MAY—Returning Officer.

BY-LAW NO. 162

A By-law of the Village of Crossfield to set the date for the holding of a vote of the Proprietary Electors.

The Village of Crossfield in council assembled enacts as follows:

1. The votes of proprietary electors duly qualified to vote on By-laws No. 157 and 161 shall be taken separately on Friday, November 7th, 1952, in the Village office, Crossfield, from the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon until the hour of 7 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.
2. Harry May, Secretary-Treasurer of the Village, shall be the Returning Officer to enter and receive the said votes.
3. The said Returning Officer shall at the Village Office on Friday the seventh day of November, 1952 at 7 o'clock in the afternoon, sum up the votes for and against the By-laws and declare the results thereof.

RECEIVED FIRST AND SECOND readings and by unanimous consent of the Councillors present a third reading and finally passed this Fourteenth day of October, 1952.

H. A. BANNISTER—Mayor.

HARRY MAY—Secretary-Treasurer.